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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a)

A four (4) month extension of time, from August 15, 2005 to and including December 15, 2005 is requested to respond to the Restriction Requirement dated July 15, 2005 in the above-referenced application. A check in the amount of \$795.00 is enclosed to cover the fee for this extension of time.

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